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REFERENCE: MISSION 4037 MILITARY ACTIVITY
NAJHRAN, SAUDI ARABIA

1. SIGNIFICANCE: IDENTIFIED MILITARY ACTIVITY NEAR THE SAUDI ARABIAN/
YEMEN BORDER.
2. LOCATION: IN SOUTHERN SAUDI ARABIA APPROXIMATELY 12 NM NORTH
OF THE SAUDI ARABIAN/YEMEN BORDER AT 1732N 04415E.
3. REMARKS: NAJHRAN IS ONE OF THE PRIMARY SUPPLY AND STAGING
AREAS FOR THE ROYALIST FORCES ENGAGED IN FIGHTING
THE EGYPTIANS AND REPUBLICAN ARMIES IN YEMEN.
4. COLLATERAL: PRESIDENT NASIR IN HIS 1966 MAY DAY SPEECH ACCUSED
SAUDI ARABIA OF USING THE SAUDI BORDER TOWNS OF
NAJHRAN AND QIZAN AS "BASES OF AGGRESSION" AND STATED
THAT UNLESS THE AGGRESSION STOPPED, HE NOT ONLY
WOULD STRIKE THE TOWNS BUT ALSO OCCUPY THEM.

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5. FIRST IDENTIFICATION: THIS MISSION

6. NEGATION DATE:

7. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE:

NONE

8. DIMENSIONS/ SPECIFICATIONS:

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9. MISSION READOUT: THIS MISSION REVEALS THE FOLLOWING MILITARY ACTIVITY WITHIN A 5 NM RADIUS OF NAJHRAN AIRFIELD: 545 TENTS, 254 CARGO TRUCKS, 26 TANK TRUCKS, 24 UTILITY TRUCKS, AND 9 CARGO TRAILERS. FIVE REVETTED AAA PIECES ARE DISPERSED THROUGH THE AREA. A NEW ROAD IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION FROM A POINT APPROXIMATELY 2 NM EAST OF THE AIRFIELD TO THE LIMITS OF THE PHOTOGRAPHIC COVERAGE.

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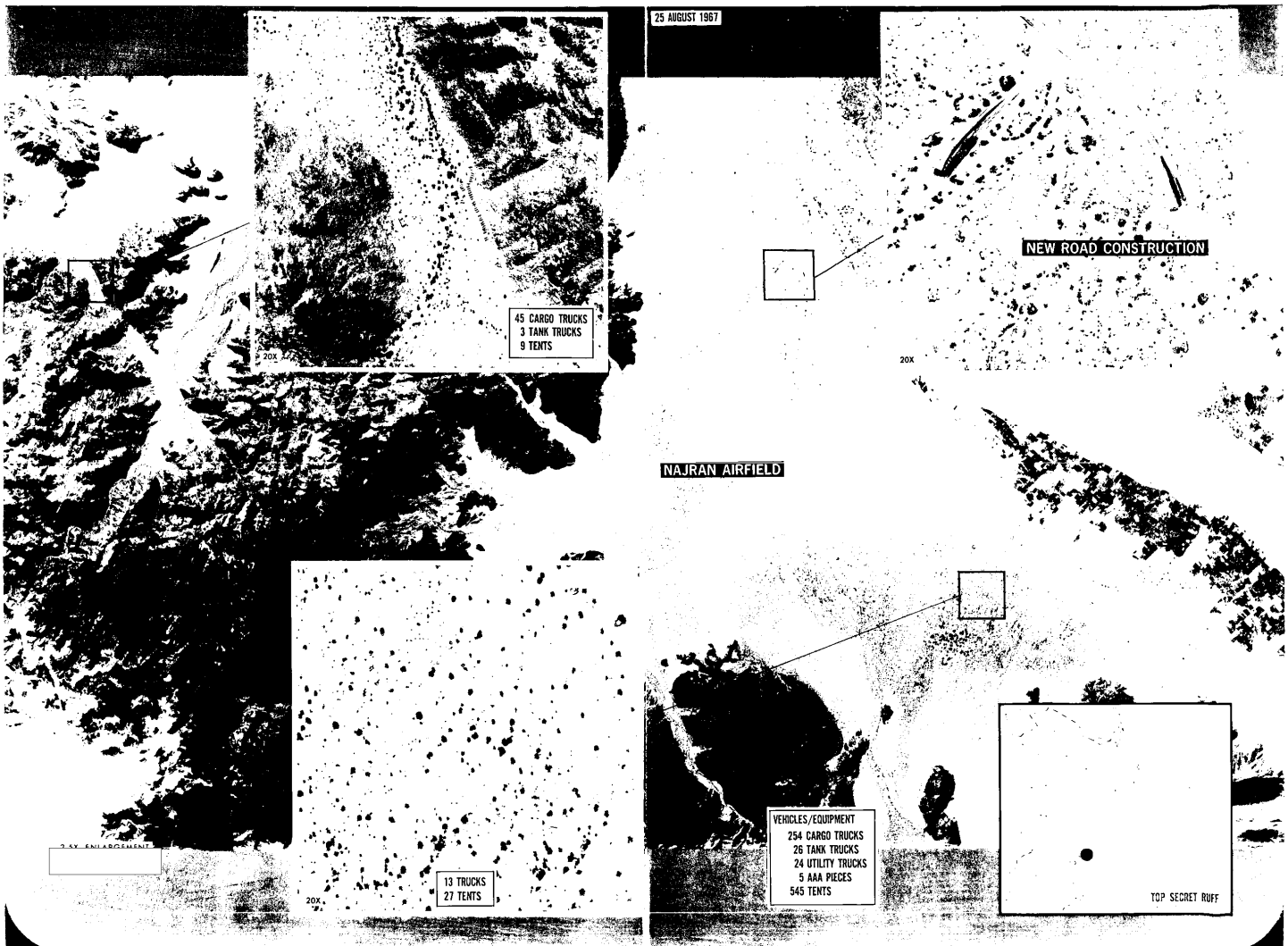
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